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SUBJ: YEMENI PRESIDENT VISITS UAE

1. YEMENI PRESIDENT IBRAHIM AL HAMDI HEADING LARGE DELEGATION PAID 24 HOUR VISIT TO ABUDAHBI (HIS SECOND IN TEN MONTHS) APRIL 22-23. VISIT INCLUDED USUAL TRAPPING FOR VISITNG HEAD OF STATE (UAE PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT AT AIRPORT ON ARRIVAL, STATE DINNER ET AL). JOINT COMMUNIQUE ISSUED ON DEPARTURE INCLUDED USUAL BOILERPLATE ON ARAB-MIDDLE EAST ISSUED ONLY NEW NOTE STRUCK WAS PRAISE "HEROIC STAND" OF ARABS ON WEST BANK AND THEIR "POPULAR UPRISING" WHICH "CHALLANGED AND CONFOUNDED THE RROTS OF ENEMY OCCUPATION"). ON BILATERAL FRONT, COMMUNIQUE SPOKE OF "DEEP SATISFACTION" IN THE PROGRESS MADE IN RELATIIONS BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES AND RESULTING INCREASE IN COOPERATION IN VARIETY OF AREAS. SHAIKH ZAYID ACCEPTED INVITATION TO VISIT YEMEN WITH DATE TO ESTABLISHED.

2. PRESS REPORTS INDICATED THAT TWO DELEGATIONS

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AGREED THERE SHOULD BE REGULAR CONSULTANTIONS

CONCERNING EFFORTS TOWARDS JOINT COOPERATION
THERE WAS NO MENTION OF ANY SPECIFIC ADDITIONAL
AID COMMITMENTS. AL HAMDI IN PRESS CONFERENCE
SAID AIM OF VISIT WAS TO EXPRESS THANKS OF YEMENI
PEOPLE TO SHAIKH ZAYID FOR UAE'S BACKING OF YEMEN
DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES. ON QUESTION OF YEMEN'S RELATIONS
WITH PDRY, AL IAMDI SAID WORK OF "UNIT ACOMMITTEES"
PROCEEDING SATISFACTORILY WITH RESULTS TO BE ANNOUNCED
"AT APPROPRIATE TIME." ASKED ABOUT "ARAB PEACE FORCE"
WHICH HE HAD PREPOSED, YEMEN PRESIDENT SAID IT SHOULD
BE UNDER ARAB LEAGUE AND SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO ATMOSPHERE
WHERE DISCUSSION RATHER THAN FIGHTING PREVAILED IN
SETTLING INTERNAL ARAB DISPUTES.
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